GRANTS FOR LIBRARIES OF KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

3407. SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN :

SHRI N. GIRI PRASAD : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that -the recurring and non-recurring grants for libraries of Kendriya Vidyalayas are meagre resulting in increasing deterioration of library-seivices;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and if *not, the* details of these grants in respect of the preceding three financial years;

(c) whether these libraries follow OPEN SHELF SYSTEM; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER JN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA.) : (a) and (b) Details of financial allocation and actual expenditure far the last three years are as follows :

(Rupees *in* lakhs)

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93
Allocati	39 90	42.63	46.64
Actuals	36 48	39 60	40.10

Keeping in view the present financial stringency, the allocation of grants at the present level s considered reasonable for maintaining the library-services.

(c) and (d) The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has issued instructions to adopt OPEN SHELF SYSTEM in the libraries.

INTERVIEWS FOR THE POST OF PRINCIPALS IN KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

3408. SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN :
SHRI SUNDER SINGH BHANDARI :

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that applications for the posts of Principals of Kendriya Vidyalayas interviews for which have recently been concluded had been shortlisted through computers;

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that a lot of errors had been located therein by the applicants some of whom had later been called for interview on their representations in this regard;

(c) if so, the details of such candidates and details of those who had been called for interview subsequently wilhout any representation from the side of the applicants;

(d) wheher many eligible candidates applicants still could not be called for interview; and •

(e) if so, the details thereof ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELIA) : (a) Yes, Sir. The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has intimated that the computer processing of the applications was made by the Computer Depar ment of the Indian Institute of Public Administration (UPA) in their premises.

(b) No, Sir. Whenever, individual applicants had later brought to notice -n-completeness or omissions in their own